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In re Application of <b>Goddard et al.</b> Serial No.: <b>09/869,566</b> Filed: February 19, 2002 Title: <b>IL-1 RELATED POLYPEPTIDES</b>	Group Art Unit: 1646 Examiner: <b>Dong Jiang</b> Confirmation No: <b>4737</b> Customer No: 09157 <b>Express Mail EV 182673803 US</b> <b>March 14, 2005</b>
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**AMENDMENT and REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Sir:

This document is responsive to the Office Action mailed **September 27, 2004** for which a three-month period for response was given. This response is timely filed with a Petition and fees for Three-Month Extension of Time and fees, thereby extending the response period to **March 27, 2005**. In view of the discussion provided, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.